GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

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MODERNISATION OF BSF AND CRPF
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether any proposal is under consideration of the Government to modernise Border Security Force (BSF) and Central Reserve Police Force (CRPF) and equip these forces with the latest technology to meet any eventuality; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI HARIBHAI PARATHIBHAI CHAUDHARY)

(a) & (b): Yes Madam, providing modern security equipment to Central Armed Police Forces (CAPFs) is a continuous process.

To equip CAPFs with modern and State-of-art technology equipment Modernization Plan-II having financial impli- cation of Rs. 11009.19 Crore has been approved by Cabinet committee on Security (CCS) on 3.5.2013 for the period 2012-2017. Out of 11009.19 Crore, plan for CRPF and BSF are having financial implication of Rs. 2619.16 Crore and Rs. 4570.07 Crore respectively.